

Planning for the Eighth Annual Project Homeless Connect - Hastings from 10-4 p.m. Thursday June 28, 2018 is well underway. First St. Paul Church will be hosting the event. Last year we served 428 guests, including 287 children. This year we believe we will be serving over 450 guests from Adams, Clay, Nuckolls and Webster Counties.

PHC is a one-day, agency centralized, public awareness, event to connect homeless, near homeless, or those who are struggling within the community to meet unmet needs. The event increases awareness in the community of homelessness and the needs of people who often go unseen. Most services are free to the guests.

The goal is for service agencies, government agencies, churches and businesses to come together to address the needs of the people in our communities. Some services this year include: car tune-ups and bike repairs, dental care, employment services, the SNAP program, haircuts, various medical and mental health screenings and much more. Guest can also receive bedding, clothing, diapers, laundry vouchers and laundry soap, personal hygiene items, to name just a few items. As always, a hot lunch will be served free of charge to guests, volunteers, and service providers.

Volunteers such as yourself are the foundation of our event. Without volunteers such as yourself, PHC wouldn't be possible. Last year we had over 200 volunteers. There is a great need for Spanish, Sudanese and Vietnamese translators for the guest. Volunteer opportunities include: helping set up for the event, navigators who assist the guest find services needed, translator, runners the day of the event, registration persons, and volunteers to tear down and clean up after the event. If you or someone you know is interested in volunteering, please visit www.phchastings.org. Click on the volunteer button. You can fill out the form or print and return by mail to **PHC 835 S Burlington, Suite 106 Hastings, NE 68901**, or fill out the volunteer form below and leave at the church. We will pick them up.



PROJECT HOMELESS CONNECT 2018 VOLUNTEER FORM

10:00 am – 4:00 pm

June 28, 2018

First St. Paul's Lutheran Church
501 North Burlington Avenue
Hastings, NE 68901



Volunteer Information:

First Name	
Last Name	
Street Address	
City, State & ZIP	
Phone Number	
Email Address	

Area of Interest for Volunteering: (Check all areas you are interested in)

<input type="checkbox"/>	Navigator	Volunteer will assist a guest in filling out a basic in-take form and navigate the guest throughout the process of accessing professional services offered at the event.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Setup/Cleanup	Volunteer will help setup for Project Homeless Connect and/or cleanup after the event.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Runners/Greeters	Volunteer will assist with agencies, staff and participants as needed.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Food Service	Volunteer will assist with kitchen duties and dining area cleanup and restock throughout the event.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other	List any other areas of interest:

Please send completed form to: phchastings@gmail.com **Or register online at www.phchastings.org**

Disclaimer: I waive and release South Central Partnership, First St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Project Homeless Connect and their officials, volunteers, workers and any and all sponsors, agencies and their representatives from any and all rights and claims for any damages I may have arising out of any injuries and illnesses I suffered by me at the event.

Signature Date

Print Name